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**PATENT**  
36856.810

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| Applicant: Tatsuo HARATANI et al.                     | Art Unit: 3729       |
| Serial No.: 09/875,659                                |                      |
| Filed: June 6, 2001                                   | Examiner: A. Boswell |
| Title: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A CERAMIC ELECTRONIC PART |                      |

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 19, 2003, the period for response to which has been extended to August 19, 2003, by the accompanying Petition for a TWO-month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet. An **Appendix** including the amended drawing figures is attached following page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper

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| <b>Re:</b>    | 09/875,659<br><br>36856.810 | <b>CC:</b>    |                   |

**Comments:**

Examiner Boswell,

Please find attached hereto the following documents for the above-identified application:

- 1) Amendment;
- 2) Petition for TWO-Month Extension of time; and
- 3) Credit Card Form PTO-2038.

Respectfully submitted,



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